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REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED ISSUANCE

The above-identified patent application was allowed September 23, 2005. The Issue Fee was paid on October 27, 2005. The patent application is otherwise in order for issuance. The current status of the patent application, as shown by the PAIR system, is "Awaiting TC Resp, Issue Fee Payment Verified."

It is requested that the issuance of the above-identified patent application be expedited, as it is believed that a competitor of the assignee of the applicants is infringing allowed claims of the patent application.

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